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EXAMINING GROUP 1600

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Ludwig Baumgartner

Serial No.: 10/049,923

Group Art Unit: 1651

Filing Date: April 24, 2002

Examiner: Deborah K. Ware

For: METHOD FOR DEHYDRATING BIOLOGICAL TISSUE FOR  
PRODUCING PRESERVED TRANSPLANTS

**AMENDMENT UNDER RULE 116**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Please enter the following amendments and remarks to place the application in condition for allowance, or at least in better condition for appeal.